

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

JONATHAN CHRISTOPHER COFFER,
Plaintiff,
v.
SIERRA PROMISE DUGAN,
Defendant.

Case No. [25-cv-03251-EKL](#)

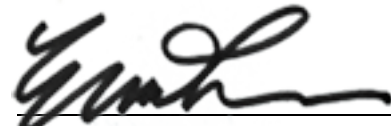
**ORDER GRANTING VOLUNTARY
DISMISSAL**

Re: ECF No. 15

Plaintiff Jonathan Christopher Coffer, a state prisoner proceeding pro se, filed a motion seeking voluntary dismissal of his civil rights lawsuit on August 28, 2025. ECF No. 15. A plaintiff has the absolute right to dismiss his or her action by filing a notice of dismissal “at any time before services by the adverse party of an answer or of a motion for summary judgment.” Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(a)(1)(A)(i). Said dismissal is “without prejudice” unless otherwise stated by the plaintiff. Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(a)(1); *Humphreys v. United States*, 272 F.2d 411, 412 (9th Cir. 1959). Coffers notice of dismissal meets the criteria under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(1). Accordingly, this case is DISMISSED without prejudice.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: October 9, 2025



Eumi K. Lee
United States District Judge